

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m., Tuesday.
Victoria and vicinity—Southerly winds, partly cloudy and mild, with showers.

Victoria Daily Times

VICTORIA, B. C., MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1922

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Royal—The Lotus Eater.
Capitol—Peacock Alley.
Dominion—Moran of the Lady Letty.
Variety—Roads of Destiny.
Columbia—Ace of Hearts.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

WRANGEL ISLAND PART OF CANADA

British Flag Planted There; to Be Transferred
Development Result of Stefansson's Expedition

Ottawa, March 20.—(Canadian Press)—Wrangel Island will come to Canada. That, it is expected here, will be the outcome of the planting of the British flag there on September 24, 1921, by the last Arctic Expedition organized by Stefansson. The assumption here is that the island was formally claimed in the name of Great Britain to avoid international complications, with a view to its being eventually transferred to Canada as part of the Dominion.

Karluk Occupation.

As a matter of fact, Canada has a previous claim in the shape of a portion. For eight months, following the loss of the Karluk, the ship of the Canadian Arctic Expedition of 1913, Wrangel Island was occupied by a body of the survivors, three of whom died there. The actual occupation of the island, it is stated, would consist of the British ownership without the actual planting of the flag or a formal claim being made.

The value of the island is understood to lie chiefly in fur and seal fisheries. Seal and walrus are said to be plentiful.

Russia.

In connection with the claim to ownership of the island, an important point arose. The island bears the name of Baron Wrangel, a Russian explorer, and the view was prevalent that Russia might have some prior claim to ownership. Research, it is understood, has already been made here on the point and so far as can be learned, representatives of Russia never actually landed on the island nor made any formal claim to its possession. The island lies north-west of Behring Strait, but sufficiently north of Siberia, it is stated, to be outside the Russian sphere of influence.

Announced By Stefansson.

New York, March 20.—Wrangel Island, one of the most important islands in the Arctic region, has been claimed for Great Britain by a party of one Canadian, three Americans and four Eskimos; it became known last night through Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, organizer of the expedition.

Mr. Stefansson said the British flag had been planted on the island September 1 last.

Mr. Stefansson, a Canadian, said his fifth and latest Arctic expedition, made up of Americans, a seal-skinning party, and a scientific professor, E. L. Knight, McMinnville, Ore.; Frederick Maurer, of New Philadelphia, and Milton Gale, of New Braunfels, Texas, with four Eskimos, had been sent by him into the northern wastes for the express purpose of claiming Wrangel Island for the British.

A Strategic Point.

Wrangel Island is about the size of Jamaica, lying 100 miles off the North-West coast of Siberia, 450 miles west of Behring Strait. Strategically, the island dominates Northern Siberia. Mr. Stefansson said only the leader of the party, Mr. Crawford, knew of the mission of the expedition. The Americans, he said, became connected with the expedition purely through love of adventure. Although Mr. Stefansson said he knew of the expedition's success the day following the Wrangel Island landing, he was only now making the fact public. He said he intended sailing this Spring for England to present Britain's new possession to the British Prime Minister.

Discovery.

Wrangel Island was first discovered in 1849 by a British naval expedition under Captain Kellett, who sailed close to the land but did not go ashore, the explorer said. In 1869, Delong, a United States whaling captain, discovered the island, which it is assumed, was sought by Baron Wrangel. Russia, in 1881, sent a United States naval ship to land men on the island. John Moore, according to Mr. Stefansson, was one of the landing party, but all these landing parties, American and British alike, lost claim to the land after the lapse of five years, according to the explorer.

Solved Sentence.

Petrolia, Mich., March 20.—John Derald Dodge, possessor of a fortune of \$1,600,000, left the House of Correction this morning with \$8 in his pocket, having completed a five-day prison sentence for automobile speeding. His release was carried out with the greatest secrecy at the request of the prisoner. Dodge was taken to the office of the House of Correction, allowed to slip unobserved through a back door and was whisked away in a prison automobile to the home of his father-in-law, M. P. O'Connor.

DICTATORSHIP BY THE ARMY IN BULGARIA REPORTED

Paris, March 20.—A dispatch to The Herald from Vienna says it is authoritatively stated there that Bulgarian militarists have overthrown the Cabinet of Stambouly and established a dictatorship.

CHILD LOST LIFE.

Winnipeg, March 20.—Mary Welsh, three years old, was fatally burned when her clothing caught fire while her mother was out of the house pumping water on Saturday afternoon.

VICTORIA AEROPLANE CRASHED AFTER A SUNDAY FLIGHT



A Curtiss aeroplane of the JN4 type is pictured above. The machine which was wrecked near the Willows yesterday afternoon was of that type, being of a similar appearance in all respects.

Two Are Injured in Aeroplane Accident

Major and Mrs. Kenneth Saunders Hurt as Result of Aviation Accident at Willows Yesterday; Engine Failure at 150 Feet Primary Cause.

One of those inevitable chances which operate at intervals to the confusion of aeroplane progress yesterday afternoon turned a minor mishap into a serious flying accident. A Curtis aeroplane of the Aerail Transport Company, piloted by Major Kenneth Saunders, accompanied by his wife in the front seat, struck a fence at the corner of Dalhousie and Cadboro Bay Roads at 4 o'clock and became a total loss.

Not Dangerously Hurt.

Mrs. Saunders sustained a cut over the eye and other minor injuries, while the pilot was cut about the scalp, both being removed to the Jubilee Hospital by Dr. Poyntz, who was passing at the time. Major Saunders is not seriously hurt, while Mrs. Saunders is reported to be out of all danger this morning.

Wrecked by Fence.

The accident was due solely to the fact that a sudden forced landing had to be made in a field that did not give the pilot room to bring the machine to a stop. The landing was executed in perfect order by a quick-witted side-slip into field, and the machine had then but a few yards

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WILL STAY AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Sir Auckland and Lady Geddes, who are expected to arrive in Victoria on April 1, will stay at the residence of His Honor and Mrs. Nichol at Government House during their stay here.

CRITICAL TIME IN INDIAN AFFAIRS

Discussion of Taxation in the Legislature

London, March 20.—The Delhi correspondent of The London Times, under date of Saturday, referring to the conclusion of the five-days discussion in the second stage of the budget, says that undoubtedly the next week will be the most critical in the history of the reform schemes in India. The democrats threaten refusal to support taxation amounting to 11 crores, partly in protest against the military budget. The item most likely to be rejected is the supplies to Machinery, cotton and Indian products. The Nationalists, who are the Non-Co-operationists, leader, A. K. Ghandi, has been rejected.

A dispatch from Ahmadabad said:

"Asked by the magistrate on Saturday, prior to being sentenced to six years' imprisonment, whether he pleaded guilty to all the charges made against him by the Advocate-General, Mr. G. R. Peacock, he replied in the affirmative.

The Advocate-General pointed out that the articles of Ghandi, printed in the publication Young India, formed merely a part of the campaign to spread disaffection openly, systematically and rend government impossible and bring about the overthrow of the Government. He contended that the writings of Ghandi were not those of an uneducated or obscure man. It was true that the articles insisted on non-violence, but he asked what was the value of this if you incessantly teach disaffection against the Government and openly seek to instigate others to overthrow it."

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**COWICHAN FISH
AND GAME MEN
ASSEMBLE**

Want Conservation Board to
Be Non-Political

(Times Correspondence)

Duncan, March 18.—The annual meeting of the Cowichan District Fish and Game Association was held on Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. Capt. R. E. Barkley was unanimously re-elected President and M. R. McMillan, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Executive committee, Cowichan Lake K. Gillespie, Saitham, Major Rattray, Inamicahn, Lake, D. L. Ashby; Somenos, Col. Morris; Chealmus, A. J. Monk; Tzouhalem, Brigadier-General Gartsdale-Spaight; Glenora, Col. Talbot; Cobble Hill, G. A. Cheeke; Mill Bay, C. D. Spott; Cowichan, St. George, H. Ernest; Duncan, Hugh Savage, H. L. Helen; Lonsdale, W. A. Thompson.

The Secretary read a most satisfactory report, showing the Association to be in good standing, and there will be no subscription necessary this year. A motion from Mr. Thomas, Secretary Victoria Game Association, was read, stating that he had been deputed to undertake to form the Island Associations into one Central Association. Vancouver has undertaken to get all the mainland associations to line up. It was decided that the meeting endorse the centralization of Game Associations and Mr. Thomas was wired to this effect in Victoria as he was attending a meeting of the Game Association there on Friday night.

Resolutions, having regard to the better conservation of the game of the Province, this Association recommends for the consideration of the Government that the constitution of the Game Board be non-political, with a chairman who is a known authority on the game of the Province.

It was decided to send a letter to the Hon. W. Sloan congratulating him on his lucid and straightforward statement re the depletion of the fisheries, lately given to the Federal Minister of Ottawa, and also on the opinion of this Association that the remedy lies in Provincial control such as has recently been given to Quebec.

The meeting endorsed the resolution sent by Mr. G. A. Cheeke from the Board of Trade. Cobble Hill requested the Cowichan Association to make a strong appeal through the local paper to the sportsmen's feelings of the community, asking them to keep their dogs and cats under control during the game breeding season.

Resolution from Cowichan Lake endorsed to the effect that all the lake trout fry hatched at the Cowichan Lake Hatchery be put back into the Lake for this year, on account of the depleted fishing there; and fishing is the main attraction in this district for tourists. Also that the season now be rigidly enforced re sawdust being put into the lake, which happens through carelessness in cutting logs etc.

The Secretary was asked to write to the Game Conservation Board requesting them to give the local game warden the power to trap pheasants for exchange in the district to improve the breeds.

A letter from Mr. R. Wyde, Shwanigan Lake, was received, giving his opinion that the head of the Game Department of the Province should be a real sportsman, and one who takes an interest in the preservation of all game, etc.

Letters from Mr. K. Gillespie was read regretting his inability to be present, but Mr. Hodson attended as delegate from Cowichan Lake. He spoke very forcibly on the fishing as it affected his district.

A petition from the Vancouver Angling and Game Association re endorsement of A. J. Hurd as Chief Game Constable was tabled.

The meeting then adjourned.

St. Patrick's Social

Duncan, March 18.—Mrs. C. W. O'Neill had a most enjoyable St. Patrick's social at her pretty home yesterday afternoon for St. Andrews Presbyterian Girls.

The room was tastefully decorated with Oregon grape and daffodils and shamrock of different sizes strung on almost invisible thread waved everywhere. Five ladies looking very sweet and attractive in shamrock aprons and caps poured tea and served the delicious refreshments.

Mr. O'Neill's daughters were

Meedamne Colburn, Connie Brinkman and Misses B. Innes and M. Knocken.

Two original contests were held, one "Something green" was won by Mrs. A. H. Peterson, and the other

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**COMMEND RESULTS
OF TOUR IN INDIA**

British Ministers Send Message to Prince of Wales

Prince Has Learned Indian Ideals and Problems

London, March 20.—(Canadian Press Cable)—On the eve of the departure of the Prince of Wales from India, the following telegram was sent to him by Premier Lloyd George, under date of March 16:

"On the eve of Your Royal Highness's departure from India, my colleagues and I ask leave to assure you of the admiration wherewith the people of this country have followed, stage by stage, your memorable visit. We know that by your personality and by your untiring enthusiasm, Your Royal Highness has made an ineffaceable impression upon the people of India, for you have shown wherever you have been that you have inherited from the King-Emperor the royal power of his house, not only to command allegiance, but to inspire devotion in his subjects. We trust the consciousness of this achievement may endure among the many happy recollections which must be yours to carry with when you bid godspeed to India to-day."

Replied.

The Prince of Wales telegraphed on March 17 in reply:

"I am leaving India to-day with feelings of sincere regret and I am deeply grateful to you and the members of your Cabinet for your telegram, which has just reached me."

"During the four months of my travels in India, I have been enabled to gain at first hand some knowledge of her ideals and aspirations, and also some measure of appreciation of her difficulties. I am filled with admiration for those British and Indians alike who are entrusted with the responsible task of government and who are striving so heroically that spirit of co-operation and goodwill which alone can ensure India's well-being. From the welcomes I have received, I leave India with all confidence that she will be fully just to the opportunities before her."

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**TWO NOMINATED
IN NELSON FIGHT**

Array of Politicians Take Part in Campaign

Nelson, B. C., March 20.—Mayor C. F. McHardy, Conservative, and Kenneth Campbell, Liberal, were nominated Saturday for the Nelson riding, the election to be on Wednesday next.

Thus far, the Government's side has been upheld from the platform by Premier Oliver, Hon. John Hart, Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Hon. W. H. Sutherland and Mrs. Ralph Smith, while the Opposition side has been put by J. W. Jones, W. K. Easing, J. H. Schofield and Lieut.-Colonel Fred Lister, Conservative M. P. P.'s, and Dr. W. O. Ross, ex-M. P. P. There have been four meetings in the Opera House in five days.

Hon. William Sloan and Hon. J. D. MacLean will wind up for the Liberals to-night, and W. J. Bowser will wind up for the Conservatives Tuesday.

**SAYS CUTTING
OF COAL OUTPUT
DISHONEST PLAN**

Ottawa, March 20.—(By Canadian Press)—In a telegram sent to J. B. McLachlan, secretary of District 26 of the U. M. W. A., Glace Bay, N.S., Hon. James Murdoch, Minister of Mines, has issued a statement of disapproval of the "underhanded and dishonest methods of undercutting" and asked for an assurance from Mr. McLachlan that he had not called upon the miners of Nova Scotia to cut their output in order to bring the British Empire Steel Corporation to terms.

Mr. Murdoch's telegram was prompted by a news report which stated that Mr. McLachlan had called on the 12,000 miners of Nova Scotia to join him in a policy of cutting the output as the most effective method of waging war against the corporation.

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ONTARIO MURDER AND SUICIDE

Galt, Ont., March 20.—A murder and a suicide occurred here Saturday evening when Joe Verina, aged thirty, a Russian, shot and killed Serge, aged fifty, a fellow countryman, and then turned the revolver on himself. The motive was not disclosed.

LOWER WAGES.

Hamilton, Ont., March 20.—The Boot and Shoe Workers' Union has accepted a one per cent cut in wages from the John McPherson Shoe Company.

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"HEALTH WEEK" STARTS.

Taking it for granted that sufficient publicity already has been given to the fact that this is "Health Week" it only remains for us to urge the people of Victoria to go to the Alexandra Ballroom to-night in order that they may learn something about tuberculosis. We take it that the speakers who will deal with the subject will not indulge in a discussion that will involve too many scientific references; but rather that they will approach the question in a manner that will be easily understood by every member of the audience. As we have repeatedly pointed out in these columns the great white plague has little more than an arithmetical interest to the average healthy man and woman; but in the case of the household which understands something of its ravages it is a spectre to be dreaded. Tonight's discourse is the first of a series which include other equally important subjects and we trust that the Victoria Medical Society will be warmly supported by large attendance during this important week.

NOT "DEAD" YET.

Even the best friends which Mr. Lloyd George possesses would not deny that his political foes are assiduously applying themselves to the manufacture of the shroud that is to envelop him when the time comes for his parliamentary interment. But the trouble they seem to experience is a disinclination on the part of the Prime Minister himself to let them into his own secret. They know, and he has a sneaking idea, that the people of Great Britain are not certain whether they really want to drop the little Welshman. Their doubts are nourished by the fact that if he should make up his mind to drop out of political life altogether and decide to reduce his golf handicap in preference to the rate of taxation under which a long suffering public is groaning the threat of a "good old Tory Government" coming into power would stare them in the face.

On the other hand some of the warmest supporters of the Prime Minister constitute the "timber" from which his successor would have to be selected. They have stood by him through thick and thin and there are no signs of grabbing for dead men's shoes. In the offing is the Northcliffe press which would be more than willing to write the most flowery political obituary that ever graced the pages of a newspaper. Mr. Lloyd George is fully aware of this although the gentleman who wields the influence in Printing House Square and at Carmelite House seems to have grown somewhat weary of his many disappointments. None the less there is obviously awaiting a place in that quiet retreat of political oblivion which sooner or later will undoubtedly admit the little Welshman to membership. But he alone will name the date upon which he will sign the scroll.

FISHERIES.

It may take a little time for the new Government at Ottawa to make up its mind to the justice of handing over the control of the fisheries of this Province to the Provincial authorities. The Prime Minister is of an essentially practical turn of mind and willing to employ every productive means that may be calculated to lighten his own task of government. Even some members of the old regime were convinced that the Provinces of Quebec and British Columbia were entitled to be entrusted with the management of a vital industry to which they are capable of bringing a fuller wealth of understanding than any particular, could be improved by amending legislation and so

from the actual scene of operations. At any rate we are gratified to learn that the Cowichan Game and Fish Association has not been backward in supporting the general belief and request that this change in national affairs should be brought about. The Provincial Government has felt keenly upon the subject for some time past and the Commissioner for the Province has let no opportunity escape him wherein he could continue his emphasis of the benefits that would undoubtedly accrue from the change. The Prime Minister and his colleagues would be relieved of a considerable amount of responsibility by the transference of authority and they do not require any convincing that Britain's dependence upon the industry is sufficient to guarantee careful administration.

IRELAND.

Those Irishmen who are more than ordinarily interested in recent events in Limerick will begin to wonder whether the new order of things is going to develop into a straight fight between Irishmen. It is true that they have the satisfaction of knowing that it is no longer a contest on the old lines when regiments of the British army were arrayed against men in improvised uniforms who had demanded a republic. It is now a matter of traditionalism dominating the situation which may or may not cool off as the altered conditions of government begin to cast their influence over the land. Humor in the Irish situation there will always be; none the less more recent developments cannot be overlooked and regarded as mere incidents in political evolution. The fact remains that men who adhere to the principles of Sinn Fein and whose only differing outlook concerns the Anglo-Irish Treaty, are actually fighting and killing one another. This is a vastly different matter to an election campaign in which followers of de Valera and Free Staters have every right to present their case to the people through the employment of political firearms. In the final analysis responsibility for preserving peace, now that the British Government has dropped to the level of an attitude of paternal interest, rests with all Ireland. The Empire and the World at large expect warfare to cease—and it should.

TOO MUCH SENSATION.

Announcements of so-called startling developments in the management of the Government's liquor business are beginning to lose much of their point. The average individual is caught unawares sometimes and is apt to raise his eye-brows and pronounce a hasty verdict upon the conduct of all and sundry who are in any way connected with the administration of public affairs. But in the general sense there is a growing inclination to await an authoritative statement from the official qualified to make it before jumping to conclusions; and it generally transpires that the "gigantic scandal" which has been uncovered is capable of shrinking to something that satisfies the mind of the electorate.

We have been informed quite recently that a large shortage of liquor or cash has been discovered in connection with the management of one of the Vancouver stores and the narrative has been suitably embellished by the announcement of a special investigation that has already occupied the time of some astute official of the Government for many months. In the course of time we shall learn if anything has gone wrong with the establishment in question and be apprised of its nature and the punishment that is proposed. For the time being we are prepared to accept the statement of the Premier of the Province when he issues a rejoinder to the effect that a departmental official has been conducting observations in an endeavor to discover if the actual operation of the Act, that part of the legislation which more closely concerns the actual sale of goods under ordinary conditions and specially provided circumstances rather than that which might be associated with sharp practice in any particular, could be improved by amending legislation and so

brought into closer conformity with that conception of its administration which the electorate had in mind when it voted upon the question nearly eighteen months ago.

These matters are scarcely worth referring to for the simple reason that it is the duty of the Government to attend to the interests of the people in this manner; but it is futile and ridiculous on the part of any public man or responsible journal to interpret such a course as linked to wrong doing. Liquor control under the British Columbia Act is difficult enough in all conscience; but to read something into normal administrative procedure that is not there merely adds complexity of the task.

NOTE AND COMMENT

It's an old, old tale: Irishmen are still fighting.

The Conservative candidate in East Kootenay is now a sadder and wiser man. Dr. King is in Ottawa.

Mr. Bowser is going to wind up the campaign for the Conservative candidate in Nelson. Mr. Oliver is naturally remaining here.

LETTERS

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The result of "apathy" is "leaving events to take their own course."

"Apathy" is by no means to be confused in our thoughts with the word "patience," the latter having among its main definitions "composure" in labor, "perseverance," "quiet waiting."

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It is the process of common taxation property through an unjust tax, that I wish to awaken your readers to. Can this be true? After all, to overlook the considered opinion of an experienced economist as Mr. Adams, who made this report to the Government of Canada, after a careful review of the same.

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Among the many comments of the members of the Commission, in the Chapter on Single Tax, appear the following:

Moreover, a rate on building buildings is not fair if there are no buildings there would be no necessity for municipal activities whatsoever. It is the improvements upon land that call attention into being. Building, however, is a very poor way to pay. The man living in a mansion should pay more than the man inhabiting a shanty, and it would be equally as would be the case if their land were of the same value. It is the man who pays, not the thing.

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CONCERT CANCELLED

Owing to the sudden illness of Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green, the concert of "chamber music" to be given at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club has been cancelled.

ANNUAL MEETING OF NEW WESTMINSTER MUNICIPAL CHAPTER

New Westminster, March 20.—At the annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., held on Wednesday afternoon in the Armories, the sum of \$250 was voted towards the National I. O. D. E. War Memorial Fund. This, with all previous donations, brings New Westminster's contribution to the fund up to \$2,000.

Illuminating reports reviewing the activities of the year and the importance of the work of the I. O. D. E. were presented by the nine primary chapters of the Municipal. The reports submitted were the Col. Moody Chapter, which was read by Mrs. G. G. Johnson; Winsby Chapter by Miss D. McBride; Edwin Eastman Chapter, by Mrs. A. E. Butler; Wemysa Chapter, by Miss N. Briggs; 104th Chapter by Miss Hallamore; Governor Seymour Chapter, by Mrs. H. L. Jones; C. E. Seymour Chapter, by Mrs. C. D. Veale; the Jack Tar Chapter, by Jean McKay, and the Donald McLean Chapter of Port Coquitlam, read by Miss D. McBride.

Miss D. McBride, secretary, reported that during the year six examinations and three drawing-rooms were held. She also reported that during the year three chapters had disbanded, the Sgt. Wm. Day, Admiral Sir Robert Arbuthnot and the Col. Winsby Chapters.

The annual report, submitted by Mrs. J. Jardine, showed the total receipts for the year to be \$2,753.13 and the total disbursements \$2,573.11.

Mrs. Clute, regent, pointed out to the meeting the importance of the work of the I. O. D. E. in the primary chapters present at the Municipal meetings, which are held four times a year, in order to have the questions coming up at the quarterly members of the primary chapters.

MRS. HADWEN PASSES AT RESIDENCE

Vancouver, March 20.—The death is announced of Mrs. Hadwen, at her home, Ambleside, Qualicum Lake, after a residence on Vancouver Island of about twenty-five years. The family consists of Mrs. R. M. Hadwen, Miss Bertha and Alice Hadwen, at home; Mrs. Hadwen, a widow; and Alice's Agricultural College; Miss Ethel Hadwen, who is now visiting at home; Dr. Seymour Hadwen, and G. H. Hadwen, of Fairfields, Qualicum Lake.

CELEBRATING?

A New Jersey couple, according to the dispatches, is "celebrating the arrival of a seventeenth child," but somehow or other, we're inclined to think that the old man's attempt at hilarity over the event is more or less forced—Buffalo Express.

RARE AT THAT

She—I suppose your notion of an ideal woman is one who has no faults.

He—No; merely one who acknowledges them—Boston Transcript.

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POOR HATCHING SEASON FEARED

Due in part to the unseasonably cold weather experienced during this month and to the fact that many eggs are chilled through insufficient care and attention being given them, J. R. Terry, of the Department of Agriculture anticipates more than the usual number of complaints of poor hatching this season.

The atmospheric conditions prevailing during the past winter approximate those of the winter of 1916 and the following Spring when the de-

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DANCING SCHOOLS BECOME POPULAR

Los Angeles Attaining Fame in
This Regard, as Well as
Motion Pictures

Los Angeles, March 20.—New York has long been the theatrical centre of the United States.

But for two reasons there is now a constant procession westward of actors and actresses.

One reason is motion pictures; the other is dancing.

Almost everyone knows that Los Angeles is the centre of the greatest artistic industry in the world—motion picture production.

People now realize that Los Angeles is rapidly becoming the centre of another great art—dancing.

In Los Angeles are the schools of Ernest Belcher, greatest instructor of the ballet in America; Ruth St. Denis and Ted Shawn, two of the best known dancers in the world; Norma Gould, noted exponent of interpretative dancing; Theodore Kosloff, Mme. Orra-Waska, Adeline Leone McAdam, and many others.

All the way from the Atlantic came Lenore Ulric, Ina Claire and Lillian and Dorothy Gish to study under Ruth St. Denis.

To the Celeste school of Belcher come Mildred Harris, Carol Dempster, Marie Prevost, Phyllis Haver, Gladys Walton, Billie Rhodes, "Peaches" Jackson, Margaret Livingston, Jack Donovan and Ramon Samonengos.

To Kosloff come Betty Compson, May McAvoy, Bebe Daniels, Lila Lee and Agnes Ayres.

In Adeline McAdam's school is Janekis Robenoff, formerly of the Imperial dancers of Moscow. He is now appearing in a picture for the Educational Film Company called "The Art of Fox and Classical Dancing."

Shannon Day and Jacqueline Logan are dancer-actors from the Folies, however—who now are screen players. Dorothy Fereday, Belcher dancer, is playing leading roles in pictures.

Mr. Terry claims that owing to the low price of eggs at the present time the householders are not likely to take advantage of this by purchasing eggs for preserving purposes right away as March and April eggs are better for keeping than those produced in the warmer weather.

ONTARIO TO HAVE REDISTRIBUTION

But No Bill at Present Session of Legislature

Toronto, March 20.—Provincial redistribution will not be an item of Government business to be dealt with at the present session of the Ontario Legislature. In all probability, however, it will be dealt with at the next session—the last at which Premier Drury and his colleagues may occupy the treasury benches without a new mandate from the people.

Premier Drury readily admits the existing discrepancies as to representation between rural and urban ridings, but when asked when the matter in the light of the new census he said: "Not this session. The Government, however, realizes its responsibility in the matter and will not shirk its duty."

AUTO ACCIDENT.

Greensborough, N.C., March 20.—William Wiles, automobile driver, probably was fatally injured yesterday when a machine he was driving turned turtle while going at a speed of sixty miles an hour on a half-mile dirt track here.

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'VARSITY STUDENTS ELECT OFFICERS

Victorian Defeated for Highest Offices; Other Elections

Vancouver, March 20.—(Special to The Times).—Reginald Hodson, of Victoria, was defeated in the recent elections at the British Columbia University for the Presidency of the Alma Mater Society, the highest honor that the University students can bestow upon one of their number. The election was closely contested, 800 votes being polled. "Al" Richards, a student in the Agriculture classes, was elected by a majority of 87. He has a brilliant record to his credit both as a student and in the various branches of outside University. He was this year on the Students' Council as President of the Literary and Scientific Department, and last year he was Debates Manager and took a leading part in the Spring play.

Elections for Secretary of the Alma Mater Society will take place next week. Dorothy Walker, '22, and T. O. Guernsey, of Science '23, are the two candidates. The office of treasurer of the Alma Mater Society will be filled by Robert Hunter, who was elected by acclamation. H. M. Cassidy has been appointed editor-in-chief of publications for the next year.

Hold Annual Concert.

The University Musical Society held its Spring concert this week in the ballroom of the Vancouver Hotel. The playing of the orchestra was particularly enjoyed by the large audience and the final chorus "For Empire and King" was repeated by request.

The inter-class sports are nearing an end now. The standing of the various classes in the soccer competition is attracting most attention is: Science '23, 8-1; Science '24, 6; Science '25, 7; Science '26, 6. Close competition in the soccer contests is keeping the championship and the consequent possession of the Lieutenant-Governor's cup in doubt up to the last minute.

This passage from Mr. North's speech also was quoted by the plaintiff:

"Houses of prostitution—we know they are all over town. We know that, at least I do, if the detective is not doing his duty, he is not doing their duty, and if they don't they ought to. They are not doing their duty—either are they getting greased or not? I am not saying they are but it looks funny. You see them go in there, you see them come out, but you never hear of a raid. What do they go in for?"

By these statements, it was claimed

that Mr. North had habitually neglected

his duties and grossly misconducted himself in his office as said detective and had committed various indictable offences.

Miss Mabel Unwin, deputy court stenographer, who made a shorthand report of Mr. North's Royal Victoria Theatre speech, was called by Mr. Higgins to swear that the defendant had made the alleged slanderous statements attributed to him. Miss Unwin read from her shorthand notes the words complained of by the plaintiffs.

The Pantages Meeting.

Before the case opened this morning Mr. Clearihue asked the Judge to quash the present Grand Jury list on the ground that out of the 100 names contained in the list four had been "irregularly struck out."

Quebec Case.

"For this reason we had the right to ballot 100 names instead of 96," Mr. Clearihue stated, as he quoted a Quebec case to support his claim.

Mr. Higgins replied that the Quebec case cited by Mr. Clearihue had been upset by the Privy Council and the matter was then dropped. Mr. Clearihue explained that he had raised this point in order to reserve his rights in this connection in case of an appeal.

Mr. Higgins Outlines Case.

"We will try to prove that the defendant had a personal spite towards these detectives, that he had a criminal record and started from the first

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drunkenness charge because he was "sick and tired" of fighting, and did not wish to bring a member of the police force into court for fear this policeman would suffer as a result. He says that he can now bring evidence to show that he was sober.

Trap or Commissioner.

Questioned further on the discovery evidence North replied that he was "whole bunch" in the City Detective Department had laid traps for him and had tried to "get" him even including Sergeant O'Leary and "the other two" detectives.

Pressed to admit that in relating the "Heather Day" story, North, in his discovery evidence, said, "I can take that anyone that likes almost." He adds that he has heard from "a thousand and one people" that detectives received money illicitly in Chinatown, but admits that he does not know the truth of these statements. "I cannot say that any of the detectives, not alone Macdonald, got money in Chinatown," he says.

In this evidence Mr. Higgins associated with Warren Carlisle, former proprietor of the Manitoba Hotel and alleged underworld leader.

Arthur Wilcox, hat manufacturer, was called by Mr. Higgins to swear that he had heard Mr. North's Royal Victoria Theatre speech. Mr. Higgins experienced considerable trouble in getting evidence from Wilcox, who, however, finally stated that he had heard North say that Macdonald had been implicated in the Y. W. C. A. arrest. He had concluded that a trap had been laid for North in connection with the Y. W. C. A. investigation.

"He did the audience to believe that Macdonald was grafting all the way through," said witness after much hesitation. He admitted, on being cross-examined, that he had not heard North use the word "trap," and could not remember definitely any specific statements made at the Royal Victoria meeting. He had heard on the street stories about the detectives and had attended the meeting to confirm the impressions thus gained, he admitted when Mr. Clearihue pressed him further.

At this stage the Court adjourned until this afternoon.

SOUNDS REASONABLE

"I wonder why Alice has remained a miss."

"Because she failed to make a hit, I presume."—Boston Transcript.

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"Moran of the Lady Letty," at Dominion, Stars Dorothy Dalton

Many difficulties of an unforeseen nature were encountered by George Melford, Paramount producer, and his cast of players in filming the sea scenes in "Moran of the Lady Letty," featuring Dorothy Dalton, which will be presented at the Dominion Theatre, commencing to-day.

The company left the studio in Hollywood for the French coast, the original locale of the play by Frank Norris, expecting to return within three weeks. Instead, they were in the Bay City for more than five weeks making the exteriors.

Many of the scenes were taken aboard two sailing schooners—three-masted and a four-masted ship. These had to be towed out from port every morning to the open sea and towed back in the evening. These operations required from four to five hours each day, leaving about four hours for shooting.

In the morning, when the vessel was being towed out, the tide was coming in and in the evening, when the company turned the nose of the ship homeward, the tide was ebbing out. This was the reason for "bucking" the tide boat going and coming, which accounts for the time required to get to and from the outer sea location.

Then, when the location was reached, if Dorothy Dalton or William Marshall, the cameraman, weren't seasick, a few of the highly dramatic scenes of the picture were made.

MAE MURRAY IN

"PEACOCK ALLEY"

Parisian Dancer is Portrayed at Capitol

With Mae Murray in the stellar role of "Peacock Alley," now showing at the Capitol Theatre, motion picture fans will have the opportunity to see this beautiful star of stage and screen in one of the most elaborate of productions.

"Peacock Alley" presented by Robert Z. Leonard is by Edmund Goulding based on a story by Ouida Bergere and is released by Metro Pictures Corporation for Tiffany Productions, Inc. The story concerns a Parisian dancer who falls in love with a young American youth and finds her husband's people scandalized when she goes back to his home, resulting in the couple seeking their fortunes in New York, in one which gives Miss Murray unusual opportunity to display in many gorgeous and artistic costumes among elaborate settings.

Among the notable cast which aids Miss Murray in interpreting this romance of two countries is Monte Blue in the leading male role, Edmund Lowe, W. J. Tracy, Anna Held, William Tooker, Howard Land, William Frederick, M. Durant and Jeffrys Lewis. Robert Z. Leonard directed it. Oliver T. Marsh was the photographer.

For this week's Capitol presentation Mille Jean Gavena will be featured in "The Lotus Eater" at the De Luxe evening performances. She is one of the most artistic dancers lately appearing in the big western cities and her dainty youthful charm will be sure to meet with hearty approval.

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FAMOUS STORY

Pauline Frederick in "Roads of Destiny" at Variety

"Nothing that within you lies can change the plan of which you are a tiny part. Choose your road to go east, west, north or south and meet the thing from which you ran away." That is the substance of "Roads of Destiny," one of O. Henry's masterpieces of short fiction a screen adaptation of which will come to the Variety Theatre to-day. Rose Merritt, played by Pauline Frederick, finds death and disillusion wherever she turns. The genius of O. Henry found a means to show that no matter what she did or where she went, Rose Merritt could not escape the full clutch of destiny. In the few episodes of the film she is four different persons though but one and the same personality—a croupier at a roulette wheel in an Alaskan gambling den; a courted society favorite on fashionable Long Island, and her own self—she is a woman adrift and deserted by her lover. In her incarnation Destiny metes out to her the same fate, but her tragic doom clears for others the pathway to

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happiness, and the picture ends on a note of satisfaction and calm after the three thunderclaps of emotion.

ROYAL WEDDING PICTURES

At the Royal Victoria Theatre, commencing to-day and continuing all this week, the pictures of the Princess Mary's wedding will be on view.

Segrid Holmquist who supports Eugene O'Brien in "The Prophet's Paradise" is known in her native land as "The Swedish Mary Pickford."

At the Royal All This Week



John Barrymore and Anna Q. Nilsson in "The Lotus Eater"

THE "LOTUS EATER" HAS MANY STARS

John Barrymore Seen in Royal Offering

The greatest talent in the motion picture industry has been enlisted in making "The Lotus Eater," an Associated First National attraction which will be the attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre all this week. John Barrymore stars in it. Marshall Neilan directed it. Alber Payne Terhune wrote the story.

George Ade wrote the subtitles. Wesley Barry, Colleen Moore, Anna Q. Nilsson, J. Barney Sherry, Ida Waterman and Frank Currier are in the supporting cast.

Because of this unusual combination of the best in the line, "The Lotus Eater" is one of the most interesting productions ever made. But the story alone was sufficient to guarantee the success of the picture.

The tale opens in the Mediterranean, where some wonderful scenic shots are shown. Later the action is divided to New York City and then to the Palm Beach, in the haunts of the rich pleasure-seekers.

Finally the principals are transferred to an island in the South Seas populated by persons who have been shipwrecked and tossed upon the island by the "Fates."

Acting, direction, story and titling have been blended into such a perfect production that "The Lotus Eater" has set a new standard in motion pictures. It is a story of tragedy, love, humor, adventure and romance woven together in such a skilful manner that it reaches the heights of entertainment.

The many friends here of the famous trio of brothers—Leo, Jan and Mische Cherniavsky will be glad to know that they will give a concert here early next month. Wednesday, April 5, Leo is the violinist; Mische, the cellist, and Jan the pianist. They have recently completed a most successful tour of Australia and New Zealand, and are now on their way through Canada and the United States. This forthcoming concert will be held in the Empress Hotel ballroom, and is under the local management of George J. Dyke. Alec Cherniavsky a brother, was in town yesterday and completed arrangements for their appearance here. He says some new works will be played here for the first time, and that their programme will contain some delightful numbers.

NEW SCREEN RECORD

Metro's "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," the Rex Ingram production of the novel by Vicente Blasco Ibanez, showing at the Capitol Theatre, New York, played to 20,000 persons a day, surpassing the house records of the world's largest motion picture theatre.

The prima donna Galli-Curci, will sing at the Arena in Vancouver on March 28.

"ACE OF HEARTS"

IS POWERFUL FILM

Fine Feature at the Columbia Theatre

To take life or presence it; to set oneself up as an arbiter over the lives of others, or to pursue the course of enriching one's own existence by enjoying the common experiences that find solution in the new Goldwyn picture "Ace of Hearts," by Gouverneur Morris, which will be shown at the Columbia Theatre to-day, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Morris has presented a group of well-meaning but misguided reformers, who will stop at nothing to gain their desired ends. Though their motives are altruistic and noble their methods are evil. Consequently, there arises the old question of "Does the end justify the means?"

The author of "Ace of Hearts" has developed his story consistently. As in all human activities there is a very human side between the contention and the execution of the group's plans. It is brought about by the beautiful love of two of their members, played by Leatrice Joy and John Bowers. Through the agency of another member, played by Lou Chase, their evil methods meet an evil fate, and the lovers find a new basis for their future life.

The story is interestingly developed, and has been given an excellent production by the Goldwyn organization.

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Large Morocco Handbags, both serviceable and smart, with large pockets, also mirror and change purse, envelope fastening and good strap handles; come in grey, tan, navy and black. Price, each	\$9.50
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Handsome Afternoon Bags in super-calf, lovely finish, in shades of blue, tan, tan, grey, navy and brown; these have four commodious pockets, centre change purse, mirror and memo card; envelope fastening and strap handles. Price, each	\$15.50
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—Main Floor

Consult Us About Repairing, Remodelling or Storing Your Furs



New and Charming Spring Frocks

In Canton Crepe and Taffeta Silk **\$29.75**

These new Spring frocks are certain to captivate your fancy with their novel lines and fine fabrics. Quite in accord with the decrees of Fashion, they feature the new bouffant effects, large and normal waist lines, three-quarter and short sleeves. Styles suitable for afternoon teas and semi-evening wear; effectively combined are red and black, brown and navy, black and grey, navy and Paisley plaid; sizes 16 to 38. Your choice

\$29.75

"Zambrene" Trench Coats For Women and Misses

Made by a well known British maker from shot gabardines in new colorings; equally suitable for fine or wet weather wear; tailored collars, raglan sleeves, slash pockets and belt; full lined; all sizes. Price

\$27.50

Gabardine Trench Coats **\$15.00**

Made from a good quality khaki gabardine, belted models, with convertible collar, trench back, leather buttons, slash pockets and raglan sleeves; half lined. Special

\$15.00

Second Floor

Many Are the New Styles in Millinery

From Which Milady May Choose Her Spring Hat

It may be an elaborately trimmed affair with sprays of paradise or it may be one of the smart little sports hats for utility wear, or perhaps a beautiful picture hat such as is shown in our illustration. No matter what style of hat is desired, you will have no difficulty in finding just the one that suits you best. All the most authentic modes are here in a bewitching variety. Prices from **\$5.00** to **\$25.00**

—Second Floor



Two New Lines in Kayser Silk Underwear

Women's Vests

Made from superior grade silk, strap shoulder or opera top, reinforced under arm; choice of flesh, orchid and white. Price

\$3.75

Silk Knickers

Heavy quality Kayser silk; elastic at waist and knee; choice of orchid, flesh, navy, white and black. Price

\$4.75

Second Floor

Special Afternoon Tea—25c

Served To-morrow From 3:15 to 5:45
Orchestra in Attendance

Specials From the Pastry Counter

Restaurant Entrance, Fourth Floor

Large Box of Assorted Cakes and Pastries similar to ones served in our restaurant

85c

Our Best Cherry Fruit Madeiras

50c

Regular 75c, for

The finest ingredients only are used in the making of these cakes and pastries. Order your "Sunnel" Cake for Easter now.

—Fourth Floor

Linoleums, Oilcloths and Feltols

In a Five Days' Special Selling Commencing To-morrow

All Floor Coverings purchased during this special selling will be measured for and laid free of charge. We are making this special offer in order to introduce to you our new and immense stocks of Linoleums, Floor Oilcloths and Feltols. The low prices and excellent quality of these goods should be an inducement to place your orders now.

Heavy Printed Linoleums At 95c Per Square Yard

Very heavy quality that will stand much service and wear, comes in a wide choice of patterns, including block, tile, parquetry and matting designs; 6 feet wide, per square yard

95c

Laid Free of Charge



Four Yards Wide Linoleum at \$1.10 Square Yard

If you want your floor covered without a join or seam buy this four-yard wide Linoleum; comes in a variety of new patterns and colorings; 4 yards wide, per square yard

\$1.10

Laid Free of Charge

Plain Battleship Linoleums at Lowest Prices

Although originally used on battleships and in public buildings, offices, etc., these plain Linoleums are now extensively used in the home especially in a room which gets more than the average wear. We have a large stock in plain brown, green and grey. Price, only

\$1.20to **\$2.50**

Laid Free of Charge

Scotch Stair Baize That Will Not Crack

In handles just like rubber, will not crack nor break on your stair. The patterns are just like carpet, and the prices attractively low:

18 inches wide, per yard

95c

22½ inches wide, per yard

\$1.19

36 inches wide, per yard

\$1.95

Laid Free of Charge

Hall and Stair Oilcloths

Heavy painted back floor Oilcloth in the newest patterns and striking a new low price on this particular line:

18 inches wide, per yard

35c

22½ inches wide, per yard

45c

27 inches wide, per yard

50c

36 inches wide, per yard

65c

Laid Free of Charge



Women's Fashionable Street Oxfords at \$5.00

This is one of our newest Spring styles in Women's Brown Calf Oxfords, smart Cuban heels, light welted soles; semi-sports model; sizes 2½ to 7, widths B, C and D. A Hudson's Bay Value, per pair

\$5.00

—Main Floor

Pure Wool Traveling Rugs

We have just opened up a shipment of these Imported Scotch Rugs. They are made from pure wool in all the popular fancy Scotch plaids. In qualities and at prices that will suit any requirements.

Traveling Rugs at \$6.95

Exceptional value; made of a mixture of an all-wool in fancy Scotch plaids; a good weight and good size; an ideal rug for your car.

\$6.95

Hudson's Bay Quality, price

Traveling Rugs at \$10.00

Made in a fine quality of wool in all the popular fancy Scotch plaids; a rug that is splendid value at this price. Hudson's Bay Quality, each

\$10.00

price

\$12.75

Boys' Reefs for Spring Quite New

Made from a fine quality of navy blue English serge; fast dye; cut in a smart double breasted style, trimmed with brass buttons and well lined throughout. A very dressy and serviceable coat. Hudson's Bay Quality:

Sizes 4 and 5 years

\$5.75

Sizes 6 to 8 years

\$6.75

Sizes 6 to 11 years

\$7.75

Laid Free of Charge

Boys' Hose

"English made," from pure wool in plain black of two and one rib; reinforced knees; fast dye. A hose that will give the boy the very best of wear. Hudson's Bay Quality:

Sizes 7 to 8, per pair, **60¢**. Sizes 8½ to 10, per pair, **75¢**

Laid Free of Charge

Two Seasonable Remedies

Sulphur and Molasses With Cream of Tartar

The old fashioned Spring blood purifier, large bottle for

30c



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Times Latest Sporting News

CARPENTIER GETS THE IDEA.
If any American light-heavyweight wants Georges' crown he may have to go over to France to fight. Carp says he had to cross the ocean for it.



NANAIMO BEAT LADYSMITH.
In the Upper Island soccer elimination series Nanaimo defeated Ladysmith 3-2 yesterday in a hard game. Ladysmith plays Metts here Saturday.



Granites Nose Out Ottawa by a Goal

Montaguards Came Within Ace of Being Defenders of Allan Cup in East—Regina Vics Meet Granites in First Game For Canadian Amateur Title To-night

Toronto, March 20.—Regina Victorias and Toronto Granites meet tonight in the first game of the Allan Cup finals. The games will be played under the rules which have governed the H. C. A. and all Winter. The purists and the east use the rules for their amateur hockey. The second and final game will be played on Wednesday night, majority goals to count. The local sport writers are dubious as to the ability of the Granites to hold the cup. Since Sir Montagu Allan died, the Allan Cup to the Ottawa Cliff-siders, the following teams have won it:

- 1908—Queen's University, Inter-collegiate.
- 1909—St. Michael's College, O.H.A.
- 1910—Winnipeg Victorias, Manitoba Association.
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- 1912—Winnipeg Manitoba Association.
- 1913—Regina, Saskatchewan, Association.
- 1914—Winnipeg Monarchs, Manitoba Association.
- 1915—Sixty-First Battalion, Winnipeg, Manitoba Association.
- 1916—Dentals of Toronto, O. H. A.
- 1917—Kitchener, O. H. A.
- 1918—Hamilton, O. H. A.
- 1919—Winnipeg Falcons, Manitoba Association.
- 1920—University of Toronto, O. H. A.

Toronto, March 20.—(By Canadian Press)—Displaying a complete reversal of form to that shown in the first game of the Allan Cup semi-final, Ottawa Montaguards, champions of the first period of the return fixture with Granites at the arena on Saturday and ran out a five-to-one winner but were down one goal on the round the score in the first game having been 7 to 2. The score on the round was 8-1.

The Monties, playing 100 per cent better hockey than they did on Thursday, swept into the game in the first period with a dash that could not be denied and beat Collett for two goals before the curlers reached the goal line. Remer then scored for the O. H. A. team, but Ottawa came back with another in 30 seconds, big Ed. Gorman hitting through the entire Granite team so easily that it looked very ordinary.

Checked Too Steadily.

Granites tried to pull themselves together in the second period, but try as they would they could not pull the clean and steady check of the Ottawa players. Gagno scored the only goal of the period on a shot from the side.

NEW YORK TEAMS NOT WHAT CRITICS SAID

Fans Conclude That Both Teams Need Strengthening as Result of Games

New York, March 20.—Manhattan's two big league baseball clubs have far to go before they can hope seriously to compete with any degree of success with the teams of their respective leagues, fans of this city agreed to-day. The Giants took the small end of a 12-6 score against the White Sox yesterday at San Antonio, while the Yankees were beaten at New Orleans by the St. Louis Nationals, 13 to 16.

Brooklyn came through against the Louisville American Association at Pensacola, Fla., winning 3 to 1. A feature of the game was the pitching of Reuther, who held Louisville hitless for the three innings he worked. The Yankees defeated the Indians 10-4, but were beaten 10-6 by the Indians in the last three minutes of overtime.

A Wonderful Finish.

It was a wonderful finish to an uphill battle and the visitors deserved the verdict all the way by their remarkable playing. The Regina ladies got two goals in the last two minutes of the first period, and got another in the first exchange in the second session.

The ice was somewhat sticky at the start, but speeded up in the last two sessions, and the exhibition of hockey was right up to standard. The visitors had the edge in back checking, while their rushes were always more dangerous than the locals. Nasmith and Milne starred for the winners, while Harris and Chapman were the best of the losers.

The line-up:

Regina—Bennett, goal; Gilhooley and Pettinger, defence; Milne, centre; Nasmith and Collins, wing; Acaster and Edge, substitute.

—Varsity—Wolvin, goal; Harris and Chapman, defence; Keilher, centre; Sudders and Matheson, wing; Wise and Murdoch, substitutes.

Summary.
First period—1, Monties, Gorman, 2-0; 2, Monties, Gorman, 6-0; 3, Granites, Remer, 5-0; 4, Monties, Gorman, 3-0; 5, Monties, Chouinard, 5-0.

Second period—6, Monties, Gagne, 5-0.

Third period—No score.

First Game To-night.

Toronto, March 20.—After watching the Saturday night game between Granites and Ottawa Montaguards the Regina Victorias, who arrived here Saturday morning for the final Allan Cup games with Granites, made more noise than ever that they will be accompanied by the curlers on their return to the West. The curlers had a practice game soon after their arrival and made a good impression on the rail birds by their speed and general class. Coach and manager, Riddle reported his men fit and ready to step along with the curlers for 50 minutes, no matter how fast the pace.

The Granites entertained their guests right royally yesterday, taking them for a motor ride around the city and winding up with luncheon at the Granite Club. There will be much difference in the weight of the two teams, taking them man for man, and the game should develop into a contest of speed and combination with the team able to stay with the pace the longest coming out on top. The Granites will enter the contest eight-to-five and two-to-one favor.

All Men Are Fit.

Though Alex. Remer, of the Granites, was hurt in Saturday night's game, and Miller Hackney, the Regina defence player, received a bad gash in the lower left cheek as practice on Saturday, both players will be in the game to-night and the

REGINA HOCKEY STARS IN MIX-UP IN TORONTO HOTEL

CARPENTIER WILL TAKE ON ANYONE IN HIS PARIS SQUARE

Toronto, March 20.—Three of the Regina hockey players are older and wiser to-day. Some time in the early hours of Sunday morning they were robbed of nearly \$200, one of the players estimated \$100. After being awakened in a downtown hotel by a man who said he was a key fan and a friend of the Westerners, the players, at his invitation went to his room, where, it is alleged, they were doped and robbed of their money and valuables. Harold Hutchins, of Winnipeg, found the unconscious players about 4 o'clock in the morning and notified the police. One of the players lost a draft for \$50 and another a diamond pin. The police are investigating.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN HARD SOCCER GAMES

Shawinigan Lake Preparatory School on Saturday entered the final for the Wilson Cup, defeating Cranleigh School two goals to nil. The Shawinigan boys won by virtue of a better understanding among the forwards of whom Edmonds and Oster, like the pair on Saturday, and Sullivan, substitutes.

Regina—McCrusker, goal; Barker and Hackney, defence; Davidson centre; Browne and Irvin, wing; Mollard and Lindsay, substitutes.

REGINA JUNIORS TO MEET CHALLENGERS

Annual Meeting of C. A. H. A. Will Be Held in Toronto Tonight; Grievances

Toronto, March 20.—W. R. Granites, president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, arrived this morning from Montreal for the annual meeting of the association which is to be held this afternoon.

The western branches think they have a grievance over the Allan Cup playoffs and are expected to ask for some other arrangement.

St. Paul, Minn., March 20.—The proposed ten-round bout between Billy Miske of St. Paul, and Bartley Madden, of the Canadian heavyweights, set for April 8 here, has been called off, it was announced to-day.

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Tuesday, March 21

At 2 P.M.

Household Furniture and Furnishings

Including 2 Upholstered Rattan Arm Chairs, Folding Card Table, Hall Seat, Arm Chairs, Centre Tables, Book Rack and Books, Brass Urn Stand, Ferns, Dining Table, Chairs, Crockery and Glassware, Clock, Electric Heater, Electric Iron, Electric Toaster, Carpet and Rugs, Bed, Spring and Felt Mattress, Dresser and Stand, Bedroom Chairs, Kitchen Table, Kitchen Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Jam Jars, very good Canada Ideal Range, Pair Stoves, Heaters, Step Ladder, Wash Tub, Boiler, Tub Stand, 2 Portable Chicken Houses, Gent's very good Bicycle, etc. Also at the same time we will sell the House and Property, consisting of a very good 5-room house, with cement foundation and cement basement, on lot 56 x 115-8 feet, with 8 full bearing fruit trees, small fruit, chicken house, etc.

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"Overland" Light Delivery Truck.

"Apperson" (1918), newly overhauled, good tires, self-starter.

"Overland" Light Delivery, special panelled body; self-starter.

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BORN.—McNAIR.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. McNaier, 1625 King's Road, at the Jubilee Hospital, on the 19th inst., a daughter. Both doing well.

PAINTER.—On the 18th inst., at 1220 Style Street, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred V. Painter (nee Etta Campbell, Royal Oak), a son.

STEWART.—On March 15, at St. Joseph's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart, Lake Cowichan, a son.

DEAD.—LEWIS.—On March 17, 1922, at his residence, 2502 Blanchard Street, Rachel Lewis, widow of Edward Spencer Lewis, aged 88 years; born at Chiseldon, England. Her only son is survived by one son and one daughter, E. Armin Lewis, of Victoria, and Mrs. W. J. Jenkins, of Seattle; also three grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Max Schmutz and Ray Anderson, all of Seattle. There are also two great-grandchildren.

The funeral took place Monday afternoon from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Sippel. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

PINE.—On March 19, 1922, in this city, Ad. Vestrile, beloved son of C. M. Pine, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil R. Smith, of 619 Niagara Street, aged 35 years; born at Victoria, B. C.

Funeral service will be held Monday evening at 7.30 at the residence of her parents. The remains will be forwarded to Vancouver Tuesday for cremation. No flowers, please.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mr. John Fenton Taylor, of Courtenay, B. C., desires to express his heartfelt thanks to his many friends, including the Sisters of St. Ann's, for their many calls and visits when he was ill during his recent and bereavement.

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Production of stock feeds at the lowest cost was the tenor of an interesting address by Chief Instructor W. Newton, of the Soil and Crops Division of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, delivered on Wednesday evening at Royal Oak before a well-attended Royal Oak Victoria Farmers' Institute.

Mr. Newton was speaking on the use of fertilizers and cultivation methods best suited to this district. He showed that deep ploughing was not advisable for Spring work, as it prevented a firm seed bed, but for Fall work was preferable, as the Winter months gave time for settling. Winter dredging was urged, as causing plants to strike deeply, resulting in drought resistance in Summer.

The difference in conditions to be faced by the small acreage man, as compared with the farmer of large areas, was emphasized when Mr. Newton was dealing with fertilizers. He advised that as heavy stimulation should be administered to small fields as would be given to the natural minimum of the unfertilized land, and to secure this advised the use of lime, phosphate, potash, and nitrate in test patches in order that the farmer may know exactly what his soil is in need of, through a study of the results gained. Soil analysis does not show what the production may be from any given soil composition.

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To this end he advised the use of small acreage in the production of a highly valuable stock food, but at the same time improving the value

of the land for other crops to follow through the fixation of atmospheric nitrogen in the soil. The lecturer was not in favor of the sowing of the Huban annual clovers in the coastal districts of British Columbia, as running too much to stalk and too little to leafage.

IMPORTANT MOTIONS ON EGG DISTRIBUTION

(Continued from page 1.)

to run before it was stopped and wrecked.

Pilot Level-Headed.

The proximity of the fence precluded all possibility of a landing and flying men, including Norman A. Goddard and others who witnessed the accident to describe the action of the pilot in glowing terms. Major Saunders made the most of

that all invoices covering the delivery of foreign eggs in shell or otherwise state clearly the country of origin. (In this the retailers disagreed.)

That all imported eggs other than those in the shell shall come in packages plainly and distinctly marked showing the country of origin and that when used in the manufacture of foods, and where such foods are sold, a conspicuous sign with two initials must be placed by the seller, indicating the consumer may know the country of origin.

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MAJOR SAUNDERS.

what little luck fate allowed him, and got his charge out of the nasty temperature with a high degree of level headedness. But for quick thinking and quicker action the accident might have been a tragedy.

After ten minutes Major had a fatal flight. Major Saunders had taken the machine up for a flight alone, to test the air. Flying conditions were found to be perfect and Mrs. Saunders was prevailed upon to accompany her husband in the next flight. The machine took off in the face of a slight southwest wind, rising over the water tank, towards the gates of the paddock, until it had reached the altitude of some 150 feet.

Faced With Landing.

The machine was a Curtis J N 4, equipped with a 90 horsepower Curtiss engine. Previous to this the engine had behaved in an exemplary manner, being in fine trim. Suddenly those on the ground heard the engine "cut down," and noticed from the direction of the engine that the engine was getting slower. Presently the engine became so dull that it would not retain flying speed, and the pilot was faced with a forced landing.

Made Clever Attempt.

The machine at the time was over the houses at the south end of the paddock, and the only clear space was at the corner of Dalhousie and Cadboro Bay Roads. Major Saunders brought his machine into line and in the patch, cleverly dropping it into position, touching ground on an even keel just a few yards off the fence.

Striking the fence with a velocity

of some fifty miles an hour the machine was wrecked, being a complete write-off. The wings crumpled up, the propeller was broken and the gasoline tank split open. Luckily the escaping gasoline did not ignite or the whole wreck would have been a mass of flames in seconds. The occupants of the machine were thrown against the front of their respective cockpits. Mrs. Saunders in front being cut by splinters of wood and sustaining shock from the impact.

Licensed By Board.

Long before the usual crowd had gathered, Dr. Poynett had the occupants on their way to hospital.

Machine and pilot were both licensed by the Canadian Air Board, it is understood, and nothing but the working of ill-fortune at the most in-

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Vancouver uses more than five times as much liquor as Victoria, the returns indicate.

The figures compiled by the Liquor Board show that Vancouver does some 44.8 per cent of the Board's business, Victoria, 8.8 per cent, and the rest of the Province 46.4 per cent.

One of the officials of the Board in giving out the figures pointed out that in Vancouver there are seven liquor stores, and the seven stores in the whole Province, but the seven stores in Vancouver do almost as much business as the other 41 put together, the Victoria store is the big one.

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